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DISPENSING DEVICE

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.56, Applicants are submitting herewith on Form PTO-1449, a listing of the documents cited by or submitted to the Patent Office in the parent application Serial No. 09/348,038, filed July 7, 1999 which was based on 08/563,109 filed November 27, 1995. The cited references were each made of record in connection with the parent application upon which the present application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. § 120. Accordingly no copies of the cited references are being provided. See C.F.R. § 1.98(d).

The submission of any documents herewith, which is not a statutory bar, is not intended as an admission that such documents constitute prior art against the claims of the present application or that such documents are considered material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR §1.56(b). Applicants do not waive any rights to take any action which would be appropriate to antedate or otherwise remove as a competent reference any document which is determined to be a <u>prima facie</u> prior art reference against the claims of the present application.

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Applicants respectfully request that the listed documents be considered by the Examiner and formally be made of record in the present application and that an initialed copy of Form PTO-1449 be returned in accordance with MPEP §609.

Respectfully submitted,

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